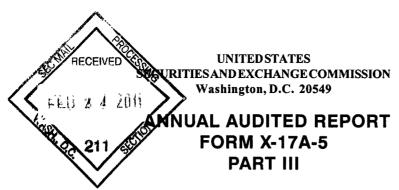
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222 North Meramec Avenue				
	(No. and St	reet)		
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NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERAL Alan Stiffelman	RSON TO CONTA	CT IN REGARD TO 1	(314	) 727-1177 de – Telephone Number
B. ACCO	UNTANT IDE	NTIFICATION		
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT when Cummings, Ristau & Association (Commings)	lates, P.C.	stained in this Report*		
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## CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

**Statement of Financial Condition** 

**December 31, 2010** 

#### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I,	Alan Stiffelman	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my kn	owledge and belief the accompanying fi Consolidated Financial	ancial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
of	December 31	, 20 10 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
	the company nor any partner, propriet ed solely as that of a customer, except	r, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account s follows:
	CARL C BARDENHEIER  Notary Public - Notary Seal State of Missouri Commissioned for Saint Louis County My Commission Expires: February 12, 2012 Commission Number: 08528764	Signature
-(0	Waddi- Notary Public	<u>President</u> Title
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(k)	Computation for Determination of the A Reconciliation between the audited consolidation.  An Oath or Affirmation.  A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Rep	Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.  und unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of

<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

**December 31, 2010** 

## CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC. St. Louis, Missouri

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#### **Independent Auditors' Report**

Board of Directors Consolidated Financial Investments, Inc.:

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Consolidated Financial Investments, Inc. (the Company) as of December 31, 2010. The statement of financial condition is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the statement of financial condition referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Consolidated Financial Investments, Inc. at December 31, 2010, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Ceremings, Protece & Associates P.C.

St. Louis, Missouri January 26, 2011

## CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

## Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2010

## **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 177,032
Deposits with clearing organizations	21,800
Receivable from clearing broker	71,316
Investments in equity securities, at estimated fair value	11,865
Furniture and equipment, net of accumulated	
depreciation of \$71,445	3,502
Other assets	16,182
	\$ <u>301,697</u>
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LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	
Liabilities – accounts payable and accrued expenses	40,689
Commitments and contingencies	
Stockholders' equity:	
Capital stock, no par value; 30,000 shares authorized;	
1,250 shares issued and outstanding	21,000
Additional paid-in capital	156,280
Treasury stock, at cost, 37.5 shares	(24,000)
Retained earnings	107,728
Total stockholders' equity	
	261,008 \$ 201,607
	\$ <u>301,697</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statement.

## CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition

December 31, 2010

## NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Consolidated Financial Investments, Inc. (the Company) is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA), the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (MSRB), and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC).

The Company has an agreement (the Agreement) with a clearing broker (the Broker) to clear securities transactions, carry customers' accounts on a fully disclosed basis, and perform certain recordkeeping functions. Accordingly, the Company operates under the exemptive provisions of SEC Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(ii).

The accounting and reporting policies of the Company conform to generally accepted accounting principles within the broker-dealer industry. Following is a description of the more significant of the Company's accounting practices:

#### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Furniture and Equipment

Furniture and equipment are carried at cost. Depreciation is computed on both straight-line and accelerated methods for financial reporting purposes over three to five years.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Company has elected to be taxed as a Subchapter "S" Corporation. As a Subchapter "S" Corporation, the Company does not pay federal or state corporate income taxes on its income; instead, the stockholders are liable for individual income taxes on the Company's taxable income. Therefore, no provision for federal or state income taxes is included in these financial statements.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers investments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

## CONSOLDIATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

#### Notes to Financial Statements

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#### Fair Value Measurements

The Company uses fair value measurements to make fair value disclosures. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. In determining fair value, the Company uses various methods, including market, income, and cost approaches. Based on these approaches, the Company uses certain assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability, including assumptions about risk and/or the risks inherent in the inputs to the valuation technique. These inputs can be readily observable, market corroborated, or generally unobservable inputs. The Company uses valuation techniques that maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. Based on the observability of the inputs used in the valuation techniques, the Company is required to provide the following information according to the fair value hierarchy. Financial assets and liabilities carried and/or reported at fair value will be classified and disclosed in one of the following three categories:

- Level 1 Valuations for assets and liabilities traded in active exchange markets, such as the New York Stock Exchange. Level 1 also includes U.S. Treasury and federal agency securities and federal agency mortgage-backed securities, which are traded by dealers or brokers in active markets. Valuations are obtained from readily available pricing sources for market transactions involving identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuations for assets and liabilities traded in less active dealer or broker markets.
   Valuations are obtained from third-party pricing services for identical or similar assets or liabilities.
- Level 3 Valuations for assets and liabilities that are derived from other valuation methodologies, including option pricing models, discounted cash flow models, and similar techniques, and not based on market exchange, dealer, or value assigned to such assets or liabilities.

The only assets of the Company that are carried at fair value on a recurring basis at December 31, 2010 are the trading account investments, which use Level 1 valuations.

#### **Subsequent Events**

The Company has considered all events occurring subsequent to December 31, 2010 for possible disclosures through January 26, 2011, the date these financial statements were issued.

## CONSOLDIATED FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS, INC.

Notes to Financial Statements

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#### **NOTE 2 – CLEARING ARRANGEMENT**

The Agreement provides the Broker with liens upon all of the Company's property held by the Broker, including, but not limited to, securities, deposits, monies, and receivables. These liens secure the Company's liabilities and obligations to the Broker.

Pursuant to the Agreement, the Company maintains with the Broker, as collateral against losses due to nonperformance by its customers, a minimum deposit of \$20,000.

## NOTE 3 – TRADING ACCOUNT INVESTMENTS IN EQUITY SECURITIES

Investment securities owned by the Company at December 31, 2010 consisted of 500 shares of NASDAQ Stock Market, Inc. common stock, which are carried at estimated fair value based on current market quotations.

### NOTE 4 - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimal net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2010, the Company had net capital of \$242,225, which was \$192,225 in excess of its required net capital of \$50,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .17 to 1.

## NOTE 5 – FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK

In the normal course of business, the Company executes, as agent, transactions on behalf of customers through a clearing broker. If the agency transactions do not settle because of failure to perform by either the customer or the counterparty, the Company may be obligated to discharge the obligation of the nonperforming party and, as a result, may incur a loss if the market value of the security is different from the contract amount of the transactions. The Company did not experience any material losses of this nature during the year ended December 31, 2010.

The Company does not anticipate nonperformance by the customers' counterparties in the normal course of business. The Company's policy is to monitor its market exposure and counterparty risk. In addition, the Company has a policy of reviewing, as considered necessary, the credit standing of each counterparty and customer with which it conducts business.